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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-002151 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 23-Apr-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1700 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: Xu Le Feng, Ye Yong Jun **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A Yes N/A **Electrode to specification:** No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A Yes N/A **Qualified Welders:** No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** Tower

Summary of Items Observed:

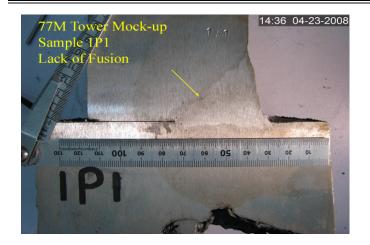
The Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Gregory Bertlesman arrived on site at the Zhenhua Port Machinery Company facility on Changxing island, China to periodically monitor welding and Quality Control functions. While on site the Quality Assurance Inspector observed and/or discovered the following.

77M Tower Mock-up Macro Etch Samples

The Quality Assurance Inspector performed a visual inspection to forty two macro etch sample welds from the 77M Tower Mock up. One Sample was not provided as indicated from sample map ZPMC provided. All the data from the review was recorded in a tracking log and forwarded to Quality Assurance Task Leaders and Structural Materials Representatives. The Samples were digitally photographed and placed on the internal server for future review. Below are digital photograph of samples 1P1 which contained Incomplete Fusion and Sample 1F2-D which contained a crack in the root of the fillet weld.

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Summary of Conversations:

As stated in the contents of the above report.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Bertlesman, Greg	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Cuellar,Robert	QA Reviewer